

GRAHAM MOVE FAILS; DEADLOCK IS UNBROKEN

PROSPECTS FOR BI-PARTISAN ORGANIZATION GO GLIMMERING

Aledo Candidate is Pushed Up to Within Nine Votes of Number Required to Elect—Republicans to Meet Tuesday in Effort to Find a Solution.

Springfield, Ills., Feb. 11—Prospects for a bi-partisan organization of the lower house of the legislature apparently went glimmering today when William J. Graham, Republican first termer from Aledo, was pushed up to within nine votes of the number required to elect a speaker and then dropped. On the next ballot the bottom fell out of the combination behind him. Seven votes were lost and Graham went into the discard along with all the other speakership candidates whose booms had been inflated and presented to the deadlocked house. When the sixth week of the legislative session was brought to a close today, a total of sixty-six roll calls on speaker had been taken without a result.

Republicans to Confer Tuesday.
Just as the house adjourned David Shanahan, chairman of the Republican caucus, announced that the eighty Republican members would meet in conference at 9:30 o'clock next Tuesday morning when the house is due to meet again. The Republicans will get together then in one more effort to find a solution of the problem of picking a speaker.

When the Graham movement collapsed, it was taken by many as final proof of the futility of any attempt at bi-partisan organization of the house this session. Behind Graham was the united support of all Republicans except those avowed "wet," of all "dry" Democrats and of all Dunn Democrats, including several wets. This has been generally considered the strongest combination in point of numbers that could be effected. A few more Democratic votes are said to have been ready to go over to Graham today had their transfer been enough to elect him. The total still would have fallen short of the constitutional number of 77; however, and for this reason some of the Democratic leaders who were willing to hurdle the aisle did not consider that the occasion demanded such action.

Representatives Igoe, Purdunn, Arthur Roe and Devine were expected to land in the Graham column, but Devine was the only one to leave the Democratic side and he voted for Robert Scholes, a Republican "wet" from Peoria.

With the prospect for a bi-partisan organization practically eliminated it is the belief of some of the older members that the first termers, who are by them held accountable in large part for the continued deadlock, will be ready to settle down to business next week and through the process of elimination proceed to select an out and out Republican candidate to be elected by purely Republican votes.

May Nominate Shanahan.

Shanahan's speech and dramatic refusal today to accept the speakership on a bi-partisan basis was sent his speakership stock booming and predictions were freely made tonight that he will be nominated by the Republican caucus early next week. Another campaign was started in behalf of William P. Holaday of Georgetown and the contest may lie between these two veterans.

It was on the sixty-fifth ballot—the third roll call of the day—that Graham was boosted to the top mark of sixty-eight votes. On the preceding ballot he had received sixty-five votes and the word was passed through the house that this was to be the crucial test.

Lee O'Neill Browne, against whom the Graham combination was directed, undertook to stem the stampede that threatened.

LINCOLN DAY BANQUET TO BE GIVEN TONIGHT AT SPRINGFIELD

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Feb. 11—Springfield tomorrow will honor the memory of her greatest son, Abraham Lincoln, by celebrating the anniversary of his birth. Notables of the state, including Governor Dunn, who will act as toastmaster, United States Judge K. M. Landis of Chicago and many others including the judges of the supreme court will be guests of honor at a Lincoln day banquet to be given tomorrow evening in the state arsenal.

Among the speakers will be Rev. John P. Glennon of St. Louis and Rev. Samuel Fallows of Chicago.

ADVOCATES FRIENDLY ALLIANCE OF ALL AMERICAN COUNTRIES

BOSTON, Feb. 11—A friendly alliance of all the countries in the western hemisphere was advocated by Senator Joseph E. Ransdell of Louisiana in an address tonight at the Lincoln day celebration of the City Club.

The cardinal principle of this union, Senator Ransdell said, should be that the independence of every member state must be guaranteed and its territorial sovereignty preserved from conquest or involuntary acquisition by any country foreign or American. An American arbitration tribunal should be established to settle all international disputes and promote peace between the contending factions of states and in every way personal acquaintance, good fellowship and business intercourse between all Americans should be encouraged.

PREDICTS TWO DOLLAR ADMISSION TO GAME

Boston, Feb. 11—A prediction that two dollars will be the average price of admission to a major league baseball game, if the fight between the Federal League and organized baseball continued, was made tonight by J. J. Lannin of the Boston Americans at a banquet of the Alumni association of Boston College. Mr. Lannin said that if the contest were greatly protracted it probably would mean the ultimate destruction of baseball.

BOY'S HEAD CUT OFF.

Chester, Ills., Feb. 11—Edgar Alliger, aged 15, was killed at Prairie du Rocher, twenty miles north of here, when he fell against a circular saw while at work in his brother's sawmill.

The blade severed the head from the body.

PUT COMPROMISE PROPOSAL FORWARD TO RESCUE SHIP BILL

New Plan is Developed On House Side of Capitol and Proposes Passage of Bill as an Emergency Measure.

THURSDAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.
The fight over the ship bill relaxed while plans were being made to take up appropriation bills.

Adjourned at 6:09 p. m. to noon Friday.

House.

Met at 11 a. m. Debate continued on the Sunday civil appropriation bill.

Leaders prepared to take up the administration ship bill under a special rule.

Adjourned at 5:33 p. m. to 11 a. m. Friday.

Washington, Feb. 11—A compromise proposal designed to extricate the administration ship purchase bill from the deadlock which has blocked its passage in the senate and to avert an extra session was put forward tonight by house Democrats through Representative Kitchin of North Carolina, chosen majority leader in the next house.

The new plan, which proposes the passage of the shipping bill as a temporary emergency measure, was developed at conferences on the house side of the capitol while the senate marked time with both opponents and supporters of the measure sparing for advantage. An adjournment of the senate tonight advanced the plans of the Democratic leaders to force a cloture rule that would end the determined filibuster.

As announced by Representative Kitchin, the compromise contemplates the passage through the house next week of the compromise bill suggested by Senator Gore with an amendment that would terminate the government's activities in the shipping business two years after the close of the European war. Despite President Wilson's announced determination to out the "measures of responsibility" which would seem to be imposed on the British government for the loss of American vessels and lives in case of an attack by a German naval force if England sanctioned the general misuse of the American flag by British vessels and thereby cast doubt upon the valid character of neutral ensigns.

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The British, Spanish and Brazilian ambassadors who happened to call at the state department were given copies of the notes as were the ministers of Sweden, Norway and Denmark, who specially requested it.

The document created something of a sensation among the diplomats generally because of what some regarded as their drastic implications.

High officials of the American government pointed out informally that it had been deemed advisable to speak unmistakable terms now rather than to await the alarming effect upon American public opinion which might ensue from the sinking of a vessel with scores of American citizens. The notes, officials were confident, would serve as a preventive of the critical possibilities discussed in them.

Diplomats examined with great interest the language of the communications and some of them construed the note to Germany as a warning that the loss of American lives by sinking even a belligerent merchant ship would be covered by the representations of the American government because of the insistence that all merchant ships must be visited and searched and passengers taken off before ships can be sunk.

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ANTEROPE, Mont., Feb. 11—Bound fast to chairs with their suspenders the cashier and his assistant of the Farmers' State Bank at Medicine Lake, Mont. were compelled to witness the looting of the bank today by two masked robbers who escaped with \$2,500.

The robbers, both young men, appeared at the bank shortly after it had opened. They had horses and were well out of town before the alarm was given. It is believed they are headed for Canada through the Fort Peck reservation. The surrounding country has been aroused and farmers throughout the region are on the lookout for the bandits.

Other important increases included \$100,000 for the signal service; \$218,069 for transportation of the army and supplies and \$85,000 for hospital care of canal zone garrisons.

FIERRO IS EXECUTED FOR ATTEMPT TO KILL VILLA

Becomes Angry at Rebuke and Tries to Assassinate Superior.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 11—Rodofo Fierro was executed as a result of an attempt to assassinate General Francisco Villa recently according to advices received here tonight by the consul for the Carranza government.

Fierro was for years one of Villa's closest companions and commanded an artillery company. In a sortie during the fighting at Queretaro, his command was destroyed and he escaped with only six men. Later when he presented himself before Villa, Fierro was upbraided for the loss of his command, according to the report given here. Fierro became angry at the rebuke and attempted Villa's life, it is alleged and bystanders interfered. Villa then ordered that Fierro be shot immediately, according to the consul's information which said the command was carried out.

One young woman was suspended for presenting false statements in trying to prolong her Christmas holidays.

The university is trying to educate its students for good citizenship and it feels strongly that honesty and truthfulness are necessary characteristics of the good citizens said Dean Clark.

RUSSIANS SINK STEAMER WASHINGTON.

Berlin, via Rome, Feb. 11—(3 a. m.)—A Constantinople despatch says that the Russians on February 8th sank the Steamer Washington, sailing under the American flag. The master and crew of the steamer were Greeks. The vessel was regularly engaged in conveying American and other Red Cross supplies between Constantinople and Trebizond. Her cargo had been discharged before she was sunk.

WOMEN'S VOTE GIVES LINCOLN COMMISSION FORM

Lincoln, Ill., Feb. 11—Women gave this city the commission form of government today overcoming a men's majority of 143 against the change and carrying their proposal by a majority of 127 votes.

WARN BELLIGERENTS IN MOST EMPHATIC TERMS

STATE DEPARTMENT GIVES OUT TEXT OF NOTES TO THE TWO COUNTRIES

Documents Create Something of a Sensation Among Diplomats Because of What Some Regard as Their Drastic Implications.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Publication by the state department tonight of the text of the notes sent yesterday to Great Britain and Germany respectively, revealed that both countries had been warned in most emphatic terms against menacing the vessels or lives of American citizens traversing the recently proclaimed sea zones of war. Germany was advised that the United States would be constrained to hold the imperial government to a strict accountability for such acts of its naval authorities as might result in the destruction of American vessels or the loss of American lives and that if "such a deplorable situation should arise" the American government "would take any steps it might be necessary to take to safeguard American lives and property."

To Great Britain the United States pointed out "the measures of responsibility" which would seem to be imposed on the British government for the loss of American vessels and lives in case of an attack by a German naval force if England sanctioned the general misuse of the American flag by British vessels and thereby cast doubt upon the valid character of neutral ensigns.

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War News Summarized

A strong German movement was begun in east Prussia where very large German forces have been concentrated contemporaneously.

The Russians are retiring from the Mazurian Lake district to their own frontier. The Russian general staff admits this in its official statement and possibly these new offensive operations are those to which a Berlin despatch recently referred as impending and as promising decisive results and perhaps a big victory.

In Poland and the Carpathians the battles which have been under way for weeks past are progressing, but details are lacking in the various official reports.

The Austrians still claim to be making advances in the Carpathian mountains and report Russian repulses.

In the west, particularly in the Argonne and the Vosges, there have been German attacks on the allied lines and Nieuport and the district along the Yser have been heavily bombarded.

Answering the question in the house of commons as to whether to end the terrible loss of life in the war, Great Britain was prepared to announce a basis on which the allies were willing to discuss peace. Foreign Secretary Grey declared that the recent utterances in Germany "give no reason to suppose that the purpose in view will be promoted by adopting the course suggested."

Emperor William has again gone to the eastern war front.

The strength of the Serbian army is placed at 220,000 men and Serbia is preparing for an attack by the Austro-German forces which is believed to be imminent.

UTAH SENATE PASSES WOOTTEN STATE-WIDE PROHIBITION BILL

Passage in the House by a Large Majority is Considered Certain—Measure is Stringent.

Salt Lake City, Feb. 11.—After a prolonged and spirited debate the state senate passed the Wootten state-wide prohibition bill tonight, by a vote of fourteen to three, with one member absent. Notice of a motion to re-consider Monday was given, but it is regarded as certain that the motion will be lost. It is regarded as equally certain that the measure will pass the house by a large majority. Ferry of Salt Lake, president of the senate, Whig of Summit and Derr of Salt Lake, were the only members who voted against the bill.

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H. A. Roberts of Franklin was in the city Thursday.

Angus Taylor of Virginia was a visitor at Passavant hospital yesterday.

J. F. McCormick of Pisgah was in Jacksonville on business Thursday.

Miss Hallie Gordon of the J. P. Brown music store is among the sick.

O. M. Petefish of Literberry was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

George Dark was in the city yesterday from the Durbin neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gallagher of Woodson were city visitors yesterday.

D. L. Barkman of Danville was a Jacksonville visitor on business yesterday.

T. C. Raley of St. Louis was calling on Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Today is Remnant Day at Hillbys. All remnants at one-half price today only.

Thomas Buckthorpe made a business trip to Manchester Thursday.

Peter Barrow of Roodhouse was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Charles M. Strawn was a Jacksonville shopper Thursday.

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Thomas Hanning of Prentice was a Jacksonville business visitor yesterday.

Emmett Wood of Pisgah was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

E. L. Blakeman of Murrayville precinct was an arrival in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Iven Cox and Miss Florence were city visitors yesterday from Gales.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Yates of Griggsville were visitors in the city yesterday.

Allen Myers of the east part of the county called on city people yesterday.

Edward True of Little Indian was in the city yesterday on matters of business.

Mrs. Edward Tindall of Arnold was among the shoppers in the city Thursday.

Bernie Bacon of Murrayville was transacting business in the city Thursday.

Miss Elizabeth Tendick, who has been employed in the F. J. Waddell store for the past three years has resigned her position.

Mrs. Frank Barnett of Chicago is expected in the city tomorrow for a visit with her sister, Mrs. H. S. Greenstone of the Cherry Flats.

W. R. Atkinson of Hillsboro and Frank Taylor of Lacon, Ill., were transacting business yesterday with the Clover Leaf Casualty company.

Harry Opperman returned yesterday to his home in Beardstown after a visit of several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Opperman, West Walnut street.

J. G. Dowell of Franklin was in the city Thursday on his way to Greenview to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Ell Reep. Burial will be made in Petersburg.

Miss Edith Nicol, who teaches at Hillview, came home to attend the Irlam-Russel wedding. Miss May Nicol who is attending school in Noram also attend the nuptials.

Mrs. G. W. Brown will leave today for Chicago, where she will join Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carter for a journey to Pasadena, Cal., where they will spend a number of months.

Mrs. Harry Skinner who for the past few days has been a guest of G. L. Skinner, South East street, left yesterday with her little daughter, Jeanette, for Roodhouse before returning to her home in St. Louis.

Louis M. Osborne who is connected with the Fleischman Yeast company, has been ordered to Ashtabula, Ohio, to take the place of the resident manager who is sick. The young man's headquarters are at Columbus, Ohio, from which he travels in his ordinary service of the company.

Charles Cole of Beardstown was among the Thursday business callers in the city.

J. W. Linkins of Peoria was calling on Jacksonville friends in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Walsh Buckhorn were shoppers yesterday with city merchants.

M. S. Zachary residing south of the city called on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

E. R. Sooy residing in the south part of the county had business in the city yesterday.

H. W. Bellschmidt of Ashland was among the business callers in the city Thursday.

M. J. Aleron of Springfield was among the business visitors in Jacksonville yesterday.

Harold Eck of the vicinity of Alexander was attending to business in the city yesterday.

Leslie Clemens of Milton is visiting his brother, Edwin Clemens and with Baird Gunn west of the city.

Basket ball—Peoria Central vs. J. H. S., Saturday eve., 8:30 in New Gymnasium. Good curtain raiser.

UTILITY MEN HERE.

M. L. Harry of Decatur and C. E. Anderson of Champaign, officials of the Illinois Traction System are in the city for a visit with Supt. W. B. Miser. They are inspecting

also the coal tests in progress at the company plant. J. M. C. Horn of Champaign and J. A. Clague of Montreal, Canada, traveling auditors for the I. T. S., arrived last night for a business visit here.

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HELD MEETING THURSDAY

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The Nichols park board held its regular meeting last evening with all members present. Routine business was transacted and various matters for betterment discussed.

The band stand is now resting in its intended and proper place. Along the drive from the large pavilion to the bridge and west of the drive from the bridge past the refreshment stand is a triangular plot of ground on which there is nothing but grass and here the band stand has been located. This is an excellent place for the structure as it will enable the music makers to do their playing where all may enjoy it.

It is the intention to have the stand painted and put in fine shape generally and raise it high enough to have under it a storehouse for implements in the winter and a place where the custodian may do small jobs of repairing at any time.

The floor will be concreted, the foundation he made of concrete blocks so that the affair will be all right in appearance. The Cosgriff brothers gave notice that according to contract they would continue to serve refreshments on the ground same as last year.

It was decided to lay drain tile along the west side of the drive west of the refreshment stand and some across the drive so as suitably to take care of the water which flows down the side of the hill at that place. A committee was appointed to procure a plow for the use of the custodian on the grounds.

The matter of the care of Duncan park was brought up and it was decided at a later date to ask all directly interested in the place to select a committee to meet with the park board and discuss measures for the satisfactory care of that place. Due notice of this meeting will be given so that the residents in that vicinity will have time to select their committee.

It was the sense of the board that central park should be given over principally to the use of all people to the end that it may be made attractive for persons desiring to rest under the trees and also to encourage gatherings and special events in that part of the city.

It is probable that flowers will be set out at the corners and all the rest of the grounds kept clean and inviting but it was thought doubtful if much could be done in the way of a crop of grass under the trees. The effort will be so to manage the place that it will give the greatest satisfaction to the ones most interested.

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IS WELL LIGHTED.

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A GOOD VAUDEVILLE TROUPE

The great Ziegfeld Follies have been here again and will be here again today and tomorrow.

Special scenery is carried for this act which patrons of the Grand are sure to be pleased with.

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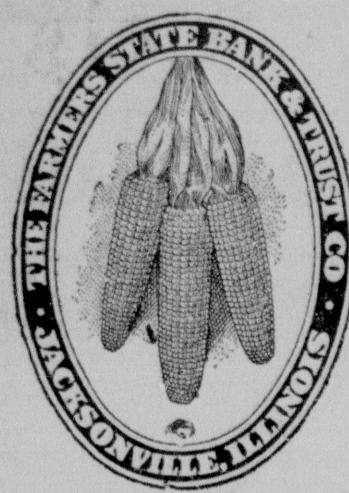
Some people may doubt the latter part of that assertion, but, nevertheless, it is a fact. Since January first we have had a standing order for cars to be shipped and have just received word that our first car load will leave the factory within a few days, and we are promised another car load for March tenth, and another April first. If you intend buying a REO this year we will try to have it ready for you when you want it, but it will help us to make prompt deliveries to have your order early.

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25c	7 lbs. for \$1	20c lb	
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The Amish people mix their feed at 4 o'clock each morning to feed at sun-up, they put the cookers in their barns on cement floors, and make a fine of double tile, 12 in. and 8 in. with cement between them, to pass through soft. This makes a good room in the barn to mend harness, etc.

Do not feed shelled corn alone to anything. It is too rich when cooked in my cookers, too much digestible protein and oil in it. To anyone who feeds cattle we will ship one on 30 days trial, so it will not cost you a cent to test it and all cattle feeders will find it saves them 1-2 their feed, and hold the gain on hogs commonly obtained with the syrup and oil drawn off the corn made into a slop.

CHAS. WOOD, R. F. D. No. 6

P. S.—This mixture for cattle makes the best horse feed I ever saw fed. The Dutch feed it to all their horses. Try letting it steep in boiling hot water on back of your cook stove for one team but do not let it get hot enough so you can smell it cooking, and it will then lack almost 25 per cent of being the same as my feed.



Miss Bird Duncan.

for a large chorus choir and a special platform has been erected. The choir will be under the leadership of Mrs. Lucy D. Kolp and Mrs. Lottie Greenleaf of Kalamazoo, Mich., a former organist of the church, will be at the piano. Fred W. Goodrich will have charge of the special orchestra.

March New Idea Magazines are here. Call at Floreth store.

JOSEPH BAMBROOK DIES

Joseph Bambrook, eldest son of A. W. Bambrook, died this (Friday morning at 2:40 o'clock at the residence on Mathers street.

Basket ball—Peoria Central vs. J. H. S., Saturday eve, 8:30 in New Gymnasium. Good curtain raiser.

FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE AS MANIFEST IN ANIMALS AND MAN

Morgan County Medical Society Hears Discussion From Double Standpoint — Recommend That Lungmoter Be Placed in Ambulance.

Foot and mouth disease from the standpoint of both animal and human manifestation, was the theme at a well attended gathering of the Morgan County Medical society Thursday night at the public library. Dr. W. B. Holmes of Springfield and Dr. Charles E. Scott presented the subject from a veterinarian's viewpoint and Dr. Walter L. Frank discussed the disease in man.

Demonstrations of the lungmoter, recently placed at the disposal of the city by the Railway & Light Co., were conducted before and after the regular session. After a consideration of several possible locations, it was recommended that the instrument be placed on the ambulance, which is kept at Cherry's livery, and thus be subject to instant call to any part of the city. Drs. George E. Baxter and C. E. Black were appointed a committee to confer with the company officials in regard to this.

Dr. W. H. Garrison of Pearl, Ill. was a visitor from out of the city. At the business session, Dr. E. J. Strickler of the Jacksonville State hospital was elected to membership. Dr. Holmes, whose paper was much appreciated by the physicians and guests present, is a member of the firm of Holmes & Jerald, Springfield and is an assistant state veterinarian and federal deputy inspector. His associate is Clarence L. Jerald, a former resident of this city.

Revival services at the First Baptist church will commence next Sunday. The pastor, Rev. Percy W. Stephens, will be the evangelist. He will have as a special soloist, Miss Bird Duncan and other well known musicians will assist in the meetings. Rev. Mr. Stephens is no stranger in evangelistic work, having had considerable experience not only in this country but also in England and has conducted some very successful revival services.

Miss Bird Duncan is a singer of much ability and has recently been

Following the paper by Dr. Holmes, there was a discussion in which the lead was taken by Dr. Charles E. Scott. C. A. Rowe called attention to the danger of the spread of the disease by dogs and mentioned the desirability of legislation against stray animals.

One Good Result.

Despite all the inconvenience and loss of property involved in the epidemic, it was pointed out in the discussion, there is apparent one good result. By realizing the necessity of guarding against the disease and having thorough inspections made, the public will be led to insist on a more complete supervision of the cattle and dairy industry at all times and demand more stringent rules as to pasteurization, the administration of tuberculin tests, etc.

"Foot and mouth disease", said Dr. Frank in his discussion, "is an acute infectious disease occurring among the lower animals in epidemic form and in man sporadically but also occasionally in epidemics. Considering that the disease is communicable to man and that epidemics among animals are so extensive, it is astonishing that the disease is so rare among human beings. While the specific causes have not as yet been found, the infectious material exists in the liquid contents of the vesicles in the secretions from the ulcers, in diseased milk and possibly in the urine and feces. Butter and cheese may contain infectious material but it is a disputed question whether meat from a diseased animal is infectious. Open wounds are favorable sites for the entrance of infectious material.

Symptoms of the Disease.

"While the danger is more remote than it was years back when our knowledge of sanitation and methods of combating epidemics was very limited, there is still an opportunity for the disease to make inroads upon mankind. Especially is this true of persons living in infected districts who consume quantities of raw milk. The persons very often infected are the help who work around animals. Veterinarians, dairymen and others who work with sick cattle are often attacked on the borders of the nails and occasionally a severe paronychia develops and a secondary infection with pus producing organisms may follow such an attack.

"The disease in man resulting from drinking infected milk usually makes itself apparent after an incubation period of two to ten days and sets in with a mild fever often beginning with a severe rigor. The temperature may reach 104 Fahrenheit. This is accompanied by pain in the back, head and muscles and severe cramp-like pains in the region lying upon or over the stomach. Nausea and vomiting may occur and a want of appetite is present.

"The initial site is usually in the mouth which feels hot and dry and there are reddened spots over the lips, base of the gums, margin of the tongue and mucous membrane of the cheeks. Ulcers appear which may extend over the whole mucous membrane of the mouth cavity and into the larynx. In extremely bad cases the ulcers are covered with a white fibrinous exudate and the tongue may become so swollen as to protrude from the mouth.

"Fortunately in man, the disease when uncomplicated, tends to run a mild and favorable course. One German authority gives a mortality of 8 percent and another continental writer gives a mortality of 2.3. The consumption of raw milk from infected cows is capable of provoking the disease and is the source of a certain number of cases. Milk from these cows should be pasteurized (145 Fahrenheit for 30 minutes) before use. The milk is, however, so altered by the disease that it is hardly fit for use. Butter, cream and cheese made from such source should not be used at all.

"The general treatment is dietetic and symptomatic and requires no description. Attempts at preventa-

tive serum are not yet successful. The chief treatment is directed to the care of the inflammatory condition about the lips and mouth. Efforts should be made to give relief from the pain and prevent secondary infection of the ulcers."

Dr. Holmes' Address.

Dr. Holmes in speaking of the history of foot and mouth disease referred to the spread of the malady in Europe and mentioned the experiences of Germany, France, England and Holland in this regard. He described the symptoms of the disease, discussed the question of susceptibility and referred briefly to the effects of the disease on man. In rare instances, he said, the malady has been observed in horses, dogs and cats and it is known also in reindeer and camels and in wild cloven footed animals.

"Foot and mouth disease some years ago swept Europe unchecked, but its ravages since have been more limited. In Germany the disease increased from 1888 to 1892. It reappeared in 1899, but by 1905 the empire seemed free from its ravages. The next year cases were again discovered, but since 1909 there has been little seen of foot and mouth disease in the Fatherland. Progress of the affection in France was practically the same as in Germany and in Great Britain, the most trouble was experienced between the years 1895 and '97. Since 1909 several townships have reported isolated cases, although the importation of cloven-hoofed animals from the continent has been prohibited. Holland experienced the epidemic in 1879-'99, but since 1908 there has been nothing but isolated cases. Foot and mouth disease is first recorded in the United States in 1870. In 1902 it broke out in New Hampshire, Vermont, Rhode Island and Massachusetts and in 1908 appeared in New York, Pennsylvania, Michigan and Maryland."

The doctor mentioned the increasing extent of police regulation, affirming that immediate slaughter of affected herds is the only method so far known of combating the disease.

Scientists, he said, have so far been unable to isolate causative bacteria, and the virus is thus thought to be composed of extremely minute, ultra-microscopic organisms. Cattle show different degrees of susceptibility, the doctor said, but suckling calves never fail to contract the disease from an affected mother.

CHILDREN ASK CONSERVATOR FOR THOMAS WAGGENER.

By their attorney, J. O. Priest, the children of Thomas Waggener, of 207 West College street, Thursday filed a petition with County Clerk Boruff, asking that a conservator be appointed for their father. The petition was applied for by Mrs. Addie Hefflin, Mrs. Lou I. Waterfield, Mrs. Eva M. Landreth and Herbert Waggener.

The petition sets forth that the said Thomas Waggener is or is supposed to be distracted and that he is not capable of managing and caring for his own estate, and that said estate is liable to be spent, wasted and lessened by such incapable management. It is further set forth that the said Thomas Waggener is the legal owner of the following property: A part of the north west half of section nineteen, in township sixteen, range nine west of the third principal meridian in Morgan county, Illinois, and other lands in said county amounting to the aggregate to ninety-five acres, more or less, and personal property valued at or near \$13,000.

The petition prays for the appointment as conservator of Thomas Waggener, Charles B. Graff or some other suitable person.

Thomas Waggener is said to be about 76 years of age and about a week ago was married in this city to Mrs. Augusta Colby. It is reported that a pre-nuptial settlement was entered into whereby Mr. Waggener deeded to his bride a residence property which he purchased at 207 West College street. A few days after the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Waggener moved into their new home, and it is alleged that the children, who have signed the petition, charge that their father is laying money on the furnishing of this home for his bride and in other inconsiderate ways, as they view it, is dissipating his estate.

The ice is rapidly passing out of the river at this place.

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ENTERTAINED FRIENDS.

Miss Cora Rudisill of Arcadia, entertained about twenty friends at a 6 o'clock dinner, Thursday in honor of her birthday. A large birthday cake containing 24 candles adorned the center of the table.

An excellent dinner was served after which the birthday cake was cut. Lena Daniels receiving the thimble; Cora Rudisill the needle; Floyd Goodpasture the ring; Ruth Deatherage the dime and Lela Clausen the button. Music and rook were the entertainment for the evening. Miss Rudisill received

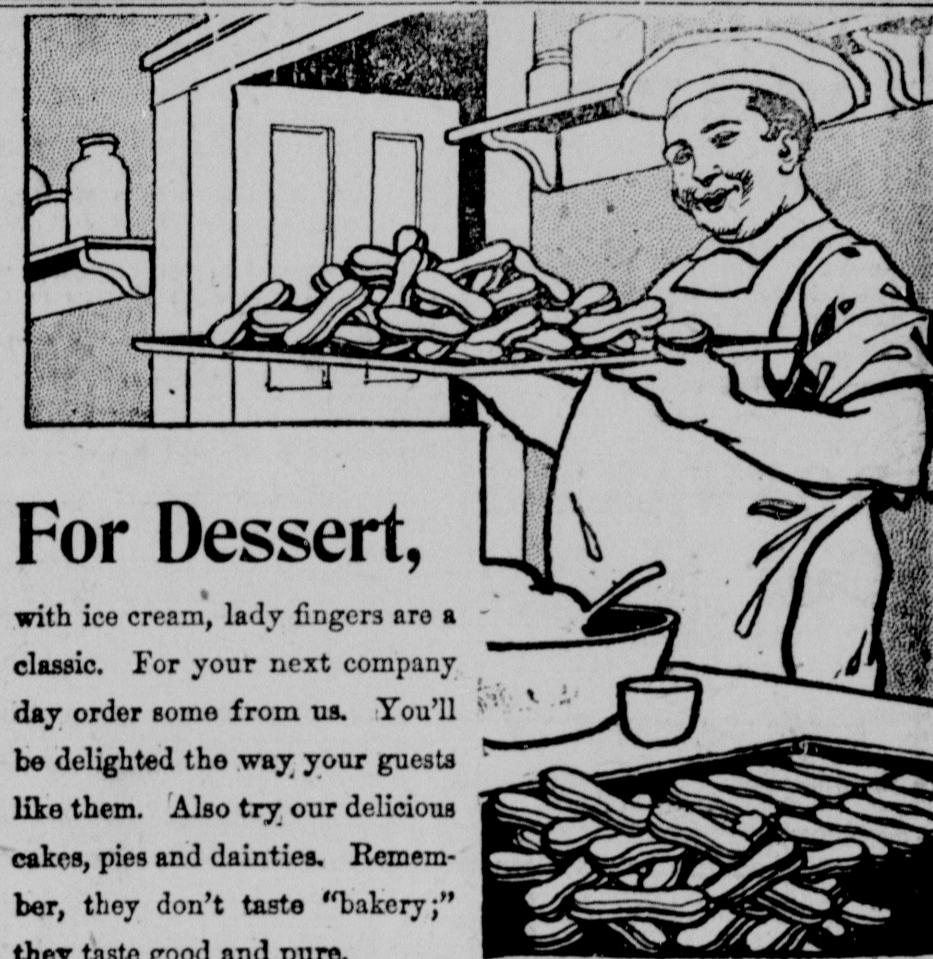
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many pretty gifts. The company included: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark and daughter, Floyd Goodpasture, Marie Morris Roscoe Goodpasture, Lena Daniel Howard Moss, Edith Hitchens, Oscar Smith, Cora Rudisill, Merle Beddinfield, Lela Clausen, Branch Wade Jessie Rudisill, Clyde Rudisill, Len Deatherage, Ruth Deatherage, Delta Goodpasture and Barbara Ha Challiner.

Postmaster James spent Tuesday in Jacksonville with his daughter, Esther.

Mrs. Charles James returned to Jacksonville Thursday to remain longer with her daughter who is a patient in a hospital.

Mrs. John Yakel and Mrs. Lou Stark have been ill with an attack of the grippe.

The funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Floyd was held from the home Wednesday afternoon conducted by Rev. S. A. McIntosh. The child was only one week old.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Deppe were Jacksonville visitors Tuesday.

The river at this place has been gradually on the rise but is now at a standstill.

Mrs. R. H. Duer left Wednesday for Springfield for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Troxell. She will return Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Summers returned Wednesday from St. Louis where they have been to purchase a spring stock of millinery goods. Mrs. Summers and Miss Lela Babers will open up a new millinery establishment in the Geiss store room on West Main street.

Miss Martha Hoover of Jacksonville was the guest of Miss Allinson Thomason last Wednesday.

Miss Lena Wells of Griggsville was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

The Masonic Lodge has purchased three lots situated on the corner of Main and Washington streets from Charles Kell and are laying plans for a new building to be erected on the same. The building will be two-story, three store rooms below and the lodge room above. This will be quite an improvement to Main street.

Mrs. L. F. Berger and Miss Ruby Stark were business visitors in Quincy Wednesday.

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EUROPEAN WAR NOTES

Geneva, via Paris, Feb. 11. (4:50 p. m.)—American students and school children who remained in German Universities and schools at the wish of their parents despite the war now are being recalled. A number of scholars from Munich and Dresden passed through Geneva last night for Paris.

Geneva, Feb. 11.—via Paris. (2:30 p. m.)—The most violent artillery duel that has occurred in Alsace since the beginning of the war was begun yesterday. As a result of the battle an exodus had begun of German families from Muelhausen, Kofmar and Strasburg.

Paris, Feb. 11.—(10:40 p. m.)—The following communication was issued by the war office tonight:

"The enemy has strongly bombarded Nieuport and the banks of the Yser but has not succeeded in doing any material damage. Our artillery has responded effectively.

"In the Argonne in the region of Bagatelle after a violent struggle with lance and bombs, which continued throughout the morning a German attack was delivered at one o'clock in the afternoon against the earthworks of Marie Therez. It was carried out in line by columns of four along five hundred meters of the front but was broken down by our artillery and infantry fire. The enemy left on the ground a very great number of dead.

"In the Vosges to the south of the Chateau de Lusse, north of the Col de Sainte Marie, we succeeded by a sudden attack in occupying one of the German trenches. On several parts of the front there has been a very spirited artillery engagement."

Alexandria, Egypt, via London, Feb. 11.—(9 p. m.)—Refugees from Syria, who continue to arrive here report that great misery exists that many persons are stranded there. The refugee committee here is now feeding 4,300 of the refugees. The United States Cruiser Tennessee has done splendid work in transporting the people fleeing from Syria. It is reported here that Jaffa, a short distance northwest of Jerusalem, was decorated with flags last week on the occasion of the "Successful crossing of the Suez Canal by the Turks."

London, Feb. 11.—(10:15 p. m.)—It is officially stated on behalf of Bulgaria that no political engagements whatsoever are attached to the financial arrangements concluded yesterday with German bankers by Bulgaria.

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ANALYZES NATIONAL ECONOMIC CONDITIONS

BARNES ADDRESSES ALBANY COUNTY REPUBLICANS.

States Present Government at Washington has Been Under Influence of Fallacious Economic Ideas—Gives Reason for Retiring From New York Committee.

GERMAN SUBMARINE ATTEMPTS TO TORPEDO BRITISH STEAMER

Laertes Escapes By Adroit Maneuvers and Fast Steaming—Was Flying Dutch Flag When Attacked.

Ymiden, Netherlands, Feb. 11, via London—(6:50 p. m.)—The German submarine U-2 yesterday attempted to torpedo the British Steamer Laertes, which arrived here today from Java. The vessel escaped by adroit maneuvers and fast steaming. When attacked the steamer was flying the Dutch flag.

Albany, N. Y. Feb. 11.—An analysis of national economic conditions and of recent political history formed the subject of a speech delivered at the annual dinner of the Albany County Republican organization tonight by William Barnes, member of the Republican National Committee from New York. Mr. Barnes explained why he retired from the Republican State Committee. He gave his ideas regarding the "evil that besets the country."

"America," he said, "is suffering from confusion of ideals in that the natural spiritual aspiration of the race has expressed itself in recent thinking in materialistic things. The proposal for a minimum wage by statute is the best example I know of this particular kind of erroneous thinking."

"Such false methods of accomplishing a good result invite unnecessary materialistic disaster, thus crushing the uplift of the spirit, which secures its quality only because of its superiority."

"This error has taken its most unfortunate form in the popular misconception of the meaning of wealth, and in placing upon government responsibilities and burdens impossible for it to bear effectively. The attempt to capitalize the religious instinct of the human race into a political asset has been the method used by ambitious for power from the beginning of organized human society. Through the credulity of the race, through its love of the mysterious, through its devotion to the unknowable, the progress of real democracy has been impeded by those who would exploit it, not unnecessarily, though frequently, for financial gain, but for the exercise of vanity or power."

"Our present government at Washington, whatever may be the integrity of the motives of the president, which I do not impugn, has been under the influence of fallacious economic ideas; and so has violated that American policy of protection, which properly explained, means that each tariff schedule should be so high that no American industry can be destroyed by foreign competition, and so low that no American industry can, through it, secure abnormal profits.

"This is the economic mistake which has been made. Assault upon wealth, as such, is an assault upon the power to produce. Power to produce means employment. The lack of it, idleness, which, if long continued, means starvation.

"The second error is the confusion of the ideal of democracy, which is liberty, with the pursuit of efficiency. The tendency of recent legislation to establish efficiency through irresponsibility is an assault upon domestic institutions. Inefficiency has been assailed as the evil. The remedy proposed has been the injection of a theory destructive of democratic principles through the attempt to apply them fallaciously, in aid of a kind of efficiency which makes for the servile and not the democratic state."

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Mr. Barnes said that his ideas of the place the Republican party should occupy "to withstand the political errors of the time" were based upon firm beliefs. The American Republic, he said, was based upon the rock of individualism. He found fault with "a tendency in American thought to deny Democracy, by approaching government from the angle of common welfare as antagonistic to individual welfare."

This tendency, he added, "was most popularly voiced by a peripatetic accelerator and party leader, Mr. Bryan." President Roosevelt, he asserted, "publicly expressed ideas so consonant with those which Mr. Bryan advanced that he was depicted in the press of the country as having stolen Mr. Bryan's clothes."

The National Committee man reviewed the Republican anti-convention struggle of 1912. When the year 1914 came, he went on, "It was clear to me that he had relinquished nothing of the contention which we had made in 1912, and the issue for which we had battled had become more clear, no candidate for governor, senator or state office who had accepted the Rooseveltian propaganda of 1912 could be nominated by the Republicans."

Therefore, he continued, prior to the primary election, he announced that he would not again accept the chairmanship of the state committee or retain membership in it. "Had I remained in the responsible position at the head of the party organization of the state after the victory which was certain to come, the entire purpose for which I had been contending might have lost its quality. It would have been charged that my desire was for power and not for the maintenance of the principles for which I had insisted that the Republican party should contend; that my purpose was to build up a party organization through the aid of patronage, prestige, and the economy of official station on the part of friends; to re-establish myself for personal purposes in the future; possibly to attempt unduly to influence legislation or the acts of the governor, or to use one against the other, through the exercise of functions, real or imaginary, that no man should possess. Therefore I retired."

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of J. E. Ash, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed executrix of the last will and testament of J. E. Ash, late of the county of Morgan and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Morgan county, at the court house in Jacksonville, at the April term, on the first Monday in April next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All parties indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

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	AT BOSTON	AT BROOKLYN	AT NEW YORK	AT PHILADELPHIA	AT PITTSBURGH	AT CINCINNATI	AT CHICAGO	AT ST. LOUIS	ABROAD
BOSTON	READ	May 1, 3, 4, 5 July (5, 5) 6, 7, 27 Sept. 8, 9	Apr. 27, 28, 29, 30 June 25, 26, 28, 29 Sept. (6, 6) 7	Apr. 22, 23, 24, 26 June 30, July 1, 2, 3 Aug. 13, 14, 16	June 9, 10, 11, 12 Aug. 2, 3, 4 Sept. 10, 23, 24, 25	June 5, 6, 7, 8 July 28, 29, 30, 31 Sept. 19, 20, 21	June 13, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 5, 6, 7 Sept. 14, 12, 13, 14	June 17, 18, 19, 20 Aug. 8, 9, 10, 11 Sept. 16, 17, 18	June 17, 18, 19, 20 Aug. 5, 6, 7 Sept. 11, 12, 13, 14
BROOKLYN	Apr. 17, (19, 19) 20, 21 June 22, 23, 24 Sept. 2, 3, 4	THE	Apr. 14, 15, 16 May 29, (31, 31) Aug. 17	Apr. 27, 28, 29, 30 June 25, 26, 28, 29 Oct. 4, 5, 7 Sept. 29, 30, Oct. 1, 2	June 4, 5, 7, 8 July 25, 26, 28, 29 Sept. 20, 21, 22	June 9, 10, 11, 12 Aug. 9, 10, 11, 12 Sept. 16, 17, 18	June 17, 18, 19, 20 Aug. 1, 2, 3, 4 Sept. 23, 25, 26	June 13, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 5, 6, 7 Sept. 11, 12, 13, 14	June 13, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 5, 6, 7 Sept. 11, 12, 13, 14
NEW YORK	May 6, 7, 8, 10 June 1, 2, 3 Oct. 4, 5, 6, 7	Apr. 22, 23, 24, 26 June 30, July 1, 2, 3 Aug. 13, 14, 16	JOURNAL	May 1, 3, 4, 5 June 1, 2, 3 Sept. (6, 6) 7, 28	June 17, 18, 19 July 27 Sept. 8, 9, 10	June 13, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 5, 6, 7 Sept. 11, 12, 13, 14	June 9, 10, 11, 12 Aug. 5, 6, 7 Sept. 19, 20, 21	June 9, 10, 11, 12 Aug. 5, 6, 7 Sept. 23, 25, 26	6 Sundays 13 Saturdays 6 Sundays 13 Saturdays
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CHICAGO	May 20, 21, 22, 24 July 22, 23, 24, 26 Aug. 25, 26, 27	May 11, 12, 13, 14 July 8, 9, 10, 12 Aug. 18, 19, 20	May 15, 17, 18, 19 July 13, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 28, 30, 31	May 25, 26, 27 July 17, 19, 20, 21 Aug. 21, 23, 24	APR. 30, MAY 1 May 10 (31, 31) June 1, 2, July 7 Aug. 17, 23, 24, 25, 26	APR. 25, 26, 27, 28 May 29 June 27, 28, 29, 30 Oct. 1, 2	APR. 22, 23, 24 Aug. 12, 13, 14, 15 Sept. (6, 6) 7, 8	APR. 22, 23, 24 Aug. 12, 13, 14, 15 Sept. 6 at St. Louis	13 Saturdays 3 Sundays May 31 at Pittsburgh Sept. 6 at St. Louis
ST. LOUIS	May 11, 12, 13, 14 July 8, 9, 10, 12 Aug. 18, 19, 20	May 20, 21, 22, 24 July 22, 23, 24, 26 Aug. 25, 26, 27	May 25, 26, 27, 28 July 17, 19, 20, 21 Aug. 21, 23, 24	May 15, 17, 18, 19 July 13, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 28, 30, 31	APR. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 May 29 July (5, 5) 6 Sept. 1, 2	APR. 18, 19, 20, 21 May 9, 30 June 23, 24, 25, 26 Oct. 3	APR. 14, 15, 16, 17 May 9, 30 June 23, 24, 25, 26	APR. 14, 15, 16, 17 May 9, 30 June 23, 24, 25, 26	13 Saturdays 6 Sundays July 5 at Pittsburgh
AT HOME	12 Saturdays Apr. 19, Brooklyn May 31, Philadelphia	12 Saturdays July 5, Boston Sept. 6, Philadelphia	12 Saturdays May 31, Brooklyn Sept. 6, Boston	12 Saturdays July 5, New York	15 Saturdays May 31, Chicago July 5, St. Louis Sept. 6, Cincinnati	13 Saturdays 12 Sundays 15 Sundays July 5, Cincinnati	12 Saturdays 12 Sundays 15 Sundays July 5, Chicago	12 Saturdays 12 Sundays 15 Sundays July 5, Cincinnati	

GROUT ADDRESSES PONTIAC FARMERS' SHORT COURSE

Winchester Agriculturist Talks of the Advantages of Alfalfa.

For many years A. P. Grout, of Winchester, has grown alfalfa, and has talked of its advantages to farmers, but it is doubtful whether he ever found an audience more ready to ask questions, and to ready get at the bottom of the matter than the one which greeted him Tuesday afternoon at the Pontiac Farmers' Short Course, when the attendance reached 400.

Mr. Grout said: "I quite agree with someone who said here this morning that he would like to quit growing oats. I do not believe that it is worth while to grow a crop which takes something from the ground, and seldom averages more than 35 cents per bushel, when a more valuable crop can be grown, which will build up the soil fertility. I have not grown oats for a number of years.

Alfalfa takes nitrogen from the air, and this is our most expensive plant food. If bought commercially it would cost more than all the others; usually it would be 15 cents per pound, while phosphate can be had for 5 cents. The air is four-fifths nitrogen, so that every acre of land in Illinois is covered with a million dollars worth of it.

Alfalfa is a deep rooted plant, in southern Illinois I saw a plant which had been dug up. The root was five feet long—and they had gotten tired of digging and cut it off.

Studying Alfalfa. Alfalfa gathers moisture from the deep underground sources that cannot be reached by the roots of corn or any other plant, and alfalfa remains green all summer during the dry weather. How any farmer can pass a field of alfalfa without questioning the facts and getting down deep into them is something I have always found it impossible to understand. The time is coming when the teachers in our public schools will be able to teach the reasons for the differences in plants, and then our growing farmers will have the very best information possible to obtain.

Alfalfa works for eight or nine months instead of only three or four months. It is foolish to try to get a good stand of alfalfa without inoculation. It can be done in some instances, but does not pay. Hogs and cattle like it when pastured and have made good gains on the animals I have fed thus.

Cow Showed Good Sense. After alfalfa had been grown, then corn was put on the same plot, the corn making eighty bushels per acre. A neighbor got five bushels of wheat per acre in a dry year when all crops were poor, while alfalfa ground made twenty-five bushels, but the neighbor asked why I "fooled around" with alfalfa. The neighbor's cow was smarter than he for she broke down the fence to get into my alfalfa field.

Graham on Sweet Clover. W. P. Graham is an enthusiastic grower of sweet clover as Mr. Grout is of alfalfa and there was considerable friendly rivalry between them concerning the merits of their respective "pet" crops. Mr. Graham says that sweet clover can be pastured, without bloating the stock or hurting the field, it increases the yield of other crops greatly when sown with small grains, and makes excellent hay. The seed is also quite valuable. The soil or

COLLECT FRENCH PRISONERS AT CONSTANCE FOR EXCHANGE

British Prisoners to Be Gathered at Liege and Lingen to Be Exchanged February 13.

Berlin, via Amsterdam and London, Feb. 11—(5:45 p. m.)—The German government today issued the following official statement dealing with the question of exchange of prisoners of war:

"French war prisoners who come into the category of several wounded prisoners to be exchanged will be collected at Constance for eventual discharge. The date of exchange has not yet been settled, as the French government has not yet answered our communication."

"Regarding the exchange of British prisoners these will be collected until Feb. 14th, at Liege, Belgium, and at Lingen, on the Dutch frontier. The date of Feb. 15th has been proposed to the British government for the exchange of prisoners through the Netherlands."

Prisoners Arrive at Constance. Geneva, Feb. 11, via Paris—(2:30 p. m.)—The first allotment of four thousand maimed French prisoners, including sixty officers, had arrived at the hospitals at Constance. There the men will await until exchange through Switzerland for an equal number of German crippled prisoners.

NIEHOFF GOES TO PHILLIES. Philadelphia, Feb. 11.—Third Baseman Niehoff of the Cincinnati National League team will come here in exchange for Charles Doolin, former manager of the Philadelphia National League team, according to an announcement made at the headquarters of the local club today. The Phillies will also receive a cash consideration. Doolin accepted the terms of the Cincinnati management some time ago.

"That statement of facts is correct," said Dr. Van Dyke today. "The action of the German commander at Trier may have been a mistake of ignorance but it must be explained and apologized for."

"Luxemburg is a very small country of 250,000 inhabitants, but the peaceful duties with which the American government has charged me toward that country are just as sacred as though it were a hundred times as big. It was the first of the neutral countries to be invaded and appears to be threatened with a failure of the food supply. I cannot consent to interfere with my duties toward Luxemburg by any power in the world except that which conferred them upon me, namely, the government at Washington."

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WORKING AGAINST GREAT OBSTACLES

GAMES FORM A GREAT FACTOR IN PERSON'S LIVING.

Various Pastimes Outlined and Merits to Be Derived From Each—That Which Demands the Best There is in an Athlete is the Game Most Necessary.

(By Gertrude E. Moulton, director for Physical Training for Women, University of Illinois.)

There is nothing in life which gives so much pleasure as the accomplishment of some worthy thing which engages all our powers. A game is merely an artificial device for setting up obstacles for the mere pleasure of overcoming them. This idea of the meaning of a game is shown in our popular expressions: When a man has more money than he can use, but goes on with his business simply because he enjoys overcoming the obstacles in his way, we say he "stays in the game". When a person grows discouraged and refuses to tackle life's problems, we are likely to say: "Play up—play the game!" To be game means to keep working against great obstacles.

A game is only interesting as it contains a problem or obstacle small enough so that it can be overcome and great enough so that it engages all our powers. Tennis is one of the easiest games to use as an illustration of this, but a little thought will show that it is equally true of all games. If a poor player in tennis is matched up against a good player, the game is interesting to neither, for the good player has not a problem great enough to engage all his powers. Without half trying, he can place the ball where his opponent cannot return it. There is not enough of an obstacle to overcome. On the other hand, the problem is too great for the poor player. Just to serve the ball over the net may be a problem great enough for him, and to return his opponents' swift balls is more than he can do, and the game contains no real joy in the doing. He may continue it, but it will be not because it is something to which he can turn and lose himself, but because he is wise enough to know that it will become so if he masters the technique of the game.

Desirable Results in Game.

Games have so many desirable results, any one of which would justify their use, that it is hard to call any of them the object. Health is one of these results. Vigorous games are one of the best means of promoting health. We must have exercise. It must be pleasurable exercise. Just going through a few cut and dried body movements in our rooms, and alone, is not likely to improve our general health, although it may help to correct a poor carriage of the head, or a weak muscle in the foot, or some other particular weakness of deformity, but if we are going to have enthusiastic health, what Emerson calls "plus-health", we cannot think too much about it, we cannot get it from exercise the only or the main object of which is health. Health demands that we have some active work to which we can turn and forget it, forget self, something in which we can lose ourselves.

Country Girls Need Training.

Particularly do country girls need this training for strength, and physical and mental alertness which together mean health. Physically, it is almost always possible to tell the girls who have been raised on a farm. Usually they have been on their feet so much of the time, washing, ironing, baking, slow walking around the house and yard that their feet muscles are weakened and they are heavy on their feet. Their abdominal walls are usually relaxed. It is hard for them to get new co-ordination. They lack the ease of those who have had more games. Girls, too, have far too little work with their arms and upper body. Most girls have poor chest and upper back muscles. They may be crooked. They have only about three-fourths the lung capacity as a boy of the same age when they are thirteen or fourteen years old. They are constantly discouraged from doing any vigorous play. They are not dressed for it, and they are constantly reminded that it is not lady-like to run and climb. A platform or playhouse built up in a tree would be of great value to them. Cleats could be fastened to the tree to make the climbing possible, and then could be changed from time to time as the problem becomes easier. Up in the playhouse, the girl could have her tea parties, could read and sew, and learn some of the other lessons which are to be gained from any playhouse, and her frequent trips up and down would prevent her growing up with spindly arms, prominent shoulder blades, and sunken chest.

Some Healthful Pastimes.

Tennis, tether ball and volley ball are good games to supply the needed vigorous, interesting work. Tennis is a good country game because it needs much space and few people. Tether ball needs but few people, and little space. It is good as a corrective to the stooped position common among girls, for the

heal is thrown back, the vigorous motion is upward. It is played by two people with tennis rackets, and a tennis ball in a sack or string net which is attached to the top of a ten foot pole by a six or seven foot string. The problem is to strike the ball with the tennis racket and wind the string completely up around the upper four feet of the pole. This necessitates a good deal of running back and forth and jumping to reach the ball, and always with the head and chest high. This makes tether ball a valuable game when the numbers are very small. Volley ball is played with a light ball a little smaller than a basket ball, which is batted back and forth with the open hands over a net ten feet high. It is best played by any number from six to thirty, and, like tether ball, it requires that the head and chest be raised, and the muscles of the upper back used. In this, as in all games, however, it must be persisted in until it is thoroughly learned for it is only then that it becomes really interesting—and no game is valuable unless it is interesting.

CATTLE FEEDING PROBLEM AN INTERESTING ONE

Greater Expense of Securing Feeders, Increase Value of Equipment and Higher Prices for Feed and Labor Some Important Factors.

(By W. H. Smith, University of Illinois. Extract of Address to Farmers' Institute, Taylorville, Ill.)

"With just a glance at the present price of fat cattle, one might conclude that the cattle feeder held the lucky card in the game, but a little study of his problems throws a different light on the situation. Among these problems are: greater expense in securing feeders, increased value of equipment, and higher prices for all feeds and labor. Today any steer with quality costs eight cents; while feeds have doubled, and in some cases trebled, their cost of ten years ago.

"The conditions, with no definite assurance that the finished cattle market will maintain its present level, are the fundamentals which have made many a feeder resist the temptation of filling his lots with cattle the present season. On the other hand, the scarcity of cattle throughout his country and the probable foreign demand for beef under the influence of war indicates that meat prices are not likely to become much lower in the near future.

"If this is true concerning the market conditions, the experienced cattle feeder with plenty of equipment on hand is playing a reasonably safe game the present season to market his crops through cattle. To be successful, however, close attention must be given to the proper combination of feeds used, as well as the utilization of certain feeds which are somewhat largely wasted.

"The time has come when the farmers of this country can not afford to allow certain crop residues to be wasted when systems can be followed whereby such wastes can be converted into meat products. The adoption of the silo brings about a change in the system which has long been followed by the beef cattlemen of this country. Periods of droughts, scarcity of pasture, increased value of all feeds, have forced the change.

Free From Grittiness.

Cottage cheese of the proper texture should be free from lumps or grittiness. The texture depends largely upon the amount of moisture in the cheese. Too little moisture, which is the result of high or uneven temperature during the time of making, produces a dry, mealy, or lumpy texture. Allowing the milk to become too sour, an uneven curdling, a too rapid or uneven drying, or the use of too much salt make a cheese of the same character. Too much moisture, due to low temperature during the time of curdling, imperfect curdling, or insufficient draining, produces a texture that is soft or mushy. To be successful then in making cottage cheese of good flavor and texture, it is necessary that the temperature, acidity, and moisture be properly controlled.

Moisture Important Item.

The amount of moisture retained in the curd determines largely the quantity of cheese that can be obtained and since the moisture content varies widely there is much variation in yield. Cottage cheese of the best quality contains from 70 to 75 per cent of moisture, and 18 to 20 pounds of such cheese should be made from 100 pounds of skim milk.

The flavor of cottage cheese should be that of mildly soured milk, and entirely free from all unclean, bitter, very sour, and food flavors. These objectionable flavors may be due to strong smelling foods eaten by the cows, or to bacteria which have gained access through an unclean milk supply, dirt carried by flies, or milk that has become too sour. It is practically impossible to make cheese better than the milk used. Hence it is of vital importance to use the utmost care to have clean milk free from foreign or disagreeable odors.

Good Selling Article.

Cottage cheese sells for five to twenty cents per pound according to its quality and the manner in which it is marketed. When retailed, the paper ice cream pail is a very convenient and satisfactory package, but it should not be filled sooner than is necessary. If held in bulk, cottage cheese should be kept in earthen jars. Cheese will keep in good condition for two weeks if stored in a cool place. A ready market for cottage cheese can usually be found, which means that its manufacture and sale afford a profitable means of disposing of skim milk on the farm.

HARD TIME PARTY.

Monday evening about 100 friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Clark of Arcadia, for a hard time party. If their garments indicated anything, then hard times are surely upon us.

Prizes were given for the worst costumes. Mrs. Flora Thompson receiving one for the ladies and Edward Bar one for the gentlemen.

An impromptu program was given after which refreshments consisting of doughnuts, cookies, sandwiches and coffee were served.

All departed at a late hour having spent a very enjoyable evening.

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CONDITIONAL GIFTS CAUSE OF MANY LAWSUITS

If Fiancee Breaks Engagement Whose Ring is It? Problem Investigated From Attorney's View Point.

(By Frederick Green, Professor of Law, University of Illinois.)

A young man gives his fiancee an engagement ring. If she breaks the engagement, whose is the ring? It is generally considered that a gift may be made on condition that if a certain event happens the gift shall revert to the giver. Where a man gave a relative a promissory note on condition that he did not contest the giver's last will, it was decided that altho the note became the relative's at once, it ceased to be his and became again a part of the giver's estate, when after his death the condition was broken. A condition may be implied as well as expressed, and there is probably such a condition in a gift of an engagement ring, and perhaps in a gift of a wedding present made before marriage.

A particular species of conditional gift has caused many lawsuits. These are gifts made in expectation of death by a person who thinks himself dangerously sick or otherwise in imminent danger. As he thinks he has no further use for his property, it is natural that he should give it away at once to insure it to those whom he wishes to have it after he is gone. As in other gifts, before title will pass there must be a delivery of the thing with an intent that it be the property of the recipient. Then title passes at once. A gift intended to take effect at death will not take effect at all. The statute of wills has prescribed the formalities that must be observed to make a will, and except by will a man has no power to prolong his will beyond his life so as to bring about a transfer after he has ceased to exist, of course, he may while alive confer rights which come into existence then but will cease and be succeeded by other rights after his death, as where a man makes a lease for ten years and then dies.

A gift made in contemplation of death is often spoken of as if it were quite different from other gifts. But it differs only in this, that unless a contrary intent is made manifest, it will be taken to have been made on the condition that the maker may revoke it, if he changes his mind, and that it shall be all off without special revocation if he gets well. These conditions will be given effect.

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All Over The County

CONCORD.

PISGAH

Melvin O. Smith, who was injured in a runaway while returning from services Sunday, January 10th, is improving slowly and is able to be about the house. He suffered seven broken bones and three misplacements besides some internal injuries. In spite of all this he walked the most of the way home, three fourths of a mile from the scene of the accident. In talking with Mr. Smith, he remarked: "I guess my work is not done. My time to go is not yet."

Mrs. Smith, who was with her husband, received three fractured ribs and a sprained ankle. Dr. Obermeyer was the attending physician and reports both of the patients doing nicely.

Mrs. Roy Abernathy spent Monday afternoon in Jacksonville.

Mrs. James Mullens, who has been critically ill since Thanksgiving, died Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. Mullens will be sadly missed by her many friends as she was a loving wife and mother and a devoted friend. The funeral was held Tuesday morning at ten o'clock at the Methodist church. Interment was made in the Arcadia cemetery.

Mrs. Louis Hess and children are sick at their home east of Concord.

Mrs. John T. Kershaw spent Monday in Jacksonville.

Misses Edna Filson and Thessie Webster and Mrs. James Webster spent Monday afternoon in Jacksonville.

B. A. Cratz and wife are entertaining his parents from Chapin this week.

Glenn Caldwell has returned from Peoria where he has been for four months in the R. P. O. service. He will rest and visit here for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. James Finch and daughter of Chapin were in Concord Sunday, called by the serious illness of Mrs. Finch's sister, Mrs. Glen Yeek.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wood of Pisgah were in Concord Monday on their way to Los Angeles to visit their son Homer.

Sheriff Irvin Coulter of Scott county and Mr. Kunkle from east of Orieans were in Concord Monday.

Mrs. Roy Crouse proved herself a most capable hostess Thursday afternoon when she entertained the W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church at her beautiful new home in Concord.

MURRAYVILLE.

Mrs. Clara Crouse of Chicago and Mrs. F. L. Rowland and son of St. Louis are here for an indefinite visit with relatives.

Miss Ruth McCollom was reported quite ill the first of this week.

John Arendell and family moved here last week from near Manchester, occupying the McLamar house in the southwest part of town.

Mrs. Wm. White is the proud owner of a new Cornish piano.

Those taking the initiatory degree in the I. O. O. F. lodge Monday evening were, C. F. Wright, W. E. Wright, W. S. Riggs, Harry Goller, Bert Millard and Jacob Tendick. After the work, refreshments were served and a pleasant social time enjoyed.

Fred Simpson and Mrs. Wm. Rousey attended the funeral of their uncle, Mr. Taylor in Jacksonville Saturday.

The Unity Workers of the Presbyterian church of Woodson will give an entertainment in Colton's hall Friday evening, Feb. 12th, for the benefit of their church. Friends from here are invited to attend.

Mrs. J. H. Dial returned home Monday from St. Elmo, where she has been helping to care for Mr. Dial's mother, who has been quite ill, but is much improved now.

Mrs. S. F. Sooy spent several days last week with relatives at Virden.

Charles Smith of Manchester and Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Briggs of Jacksonville were guests Thursday of Mrs. Sarah Smith and family, helping her celebrate her 87th birthday.

Mrs. S. L. Ramsey visited her son and daughter, Thomas and Edna in Peoria the latter part of last week.

The Epworth League had a social in the church basement Friday evening, which was largely attended and a general good time enjoyed.

Mrs. Arthur Seymour and Mrs. M. A. Gunn attended Rebekah Lodge No. 625 in Jacksonville Thursday evening and report a very pleasant time.

A. J. Johnson was a visitor in Calaway, Mo., a part of last week.

Wm. Hull and wife, who were recently married in Jacksonville are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Hines of Jacksonville spent Sunday and Monday with the latter's sisters, Mrs. H. B. Rimley and Miss Minnie Taylor.

Mrs. J. C. Andrews, Jr., of Manchester visited homefolks here Monday.

Mrs. Harry Cade was the guest of relatives in Woodson Monday.

A son was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cokerel, west of town.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.
John W. Sevier, Waverly; Miss Genevieve Peebles, Waverly.

Read the Journal: 10c a week.

NAPLES.

Rev. Mr. Willis is holding revival services at the M. E. church. The weather the past week was bad and the attendance was not so great as desired, but the congregation listened to some splendid sermons. Bro. Willis is a highly educated man and very gifted in expounding the scriptures.

Our school under our proficient teacher seems to be running very smoothly and satisfactorily.

The river has been rising on account of melting snow and rain. The ice moved out some time back, but recently with colder weather the river is now frozen over again from shore to shore, yet the fisherman are getting some fish.

Farmers are still hauling in their corn. Several cars of choice hay have been shipped in and farmers are hauling in corn and hauling back hay and hope to have a good wheat crop, barring no reverses to the wheat from now on.

Lee Abrams who came home on a furlough some weeks ago, returned to the army this week.

Mrs. Milton Moore and Mrs. Lloyd Grable are visiting their son and daughter respectively in St. Louis.

Frank Quintac, one of our honored and old time citizens, for several weeks past has been very poorly, yet has been able almost daily to walk from his house to the store and back, but says he feels no better.

Mrs. Jacob Thompson is very sick and growing weaker.

Mrs. Joe E. Williams has been sick, but is improving.

The young people are making arrangements for a masquerade and supper at the Hall here next Friday eve, a jolly good time is expected.

Bonny Hatfield is now home a short time from his school work in Jacksonville. He hopes to complete his course of studies there this spring.

Eugene Hatfield and wife, now rejoice over the advent at their home of their second son.

We are pleased to see Andre and Andre control a branch store at Bluff. These are good people. We have known them from childhood.

CROSS ROADS.

Mrs. George Winters was visiting relatives in Jacksonville last Tuesday.

We are glad to know that Clifford Cox and family have moved back in our neighborhood again. He has been living in Missouri for the past two years.

Mrs. C. E. Taylor and daughter Agnes spent last Wednesday with Mrs. S. S. Megginson, east of Woodson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Devore, near

Woodson attended Mr. Wm. Devore's funeral at Asbury Sunday.

Mrs. T. S. Hembrough and little daughter, Aileen, spent last Wednesday with Mrs. J. D. Hembrough. Glen Hembrough was a Sunday guest with Eddie Horton.

Miss Minnie Green attended the wedding of her niece Saturday at Loami.

J. D. Hembrough returned home Thursday evening after a ten days' visit in Potosi, Mo.

MERRITT.

The Merritt concert band will give their annual concert assisted by local talent, in the church, Friday evening, Feb. 12. Admission 25 and 10c. An excellent and very entertaining program has been prepared and no one can afford to miss hearing it.

W. D. Hitt and son will hold a joint public sale on the farm owned by J. H. Osborne, 1 1/2 miles east of Merritt, Wednesday, Feb. 17.

The Ladies Aid held their February meeting Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. W. P. Waterfield.

Mrs. Wirt Morris is confined to her bed with two broken ribs, the result of an accident when riding on the local freight coming from Winchester one day last week. She is resting as well as can be expected, but it will be several weeks before she will be out. Dr. W. K. Dyer is the attending physician.

Misses Ora Cline and Margaret Williams were Sunday visitors in Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Branson came over from Piasa, Ill. Saturday, the guests of E. M. Chrisman and family.

Mrs. Fred Vorgan was shopping in Jacksonville Friday.

Wm. Musch, Fred Virgin, Chas Stevenson, M. S. Culler, George Carls, Christian Rist were Virginia callers Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Culler and children of Beardstown are visiting at the home of M. S. Culler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moss and children of Chandlerville spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. Olroyd.

Mrs. C. W. James was a shopper in Jacksonville Saturday.

Dr. C. E. Black of Jacksonville spent Thursday at his farm east of here.

Mrs. Angus Taylor and Miss Martha Musch were Jacksonville visitors Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Green went to Concord Monday to attend the funeral of her friend Mrs. George Mullens which will be held at that place Tuesday afternoon.

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"I didn't know what he meant and wondered if I had done anything to offend him but was unable to recall anything to mind, so I asked him what he desired of me and he replied:

"I want you to sow some wheat." I told him I had nothing with which to buy the seed. I was willing and glad to work but had no capital. He said he guessed that could be arranged so he went to his son-in-law, W. S. Rice, and secured seed for me to sow thirty acres of grain on his land. He said too, that as I had had no experience I must follow his plans all along and of course I was ready to be guided by a man who had made a success in life.

"First he said he wanted me to plow the land his way and it was a strange way, one that is known as 'ribbing.' A fifteen inch furrow as turned and then the plow was used so that part of the ground covered by the dirt turned out by the first furrow was turned over and a strip of ground was covered with dirt but not plowed and of course there was a narrow ditch like space between. He then told me to sow the grain broadcast and to harrow the land but one way and I obeyed. The season was good and I raised 26 bushels to the acre and shall never forget that harvest. I hired William Thies to cut the grain with his binder and what a machine it was. It was a wire binder, as heavy and cumbersome as a small sawmill and had to be hauled about on a low platform hung between two axles.

"It has been asked if a man can play for practice on a cornet and be a Christian and the reply was, that he might but what about his neighbors? A man may raise wheat on ribbed ground and be good but the man who cuts it; what of him? I think Mr. Thies said bad words enough on that job to last him a lifetime and he said he would never cut another man's grain without looking at the field first.

"I needed the money very much for my share of the grain and wanted to thresh right from the shock and market it at once but Mr. Reynolds wouldn't hear to it and I insisted it must be stacked. I told him I knew nothing at all about stacking and knew no one who did and he said he would stack it for me. In addition too, he would supply a man and team for he saw I had tried to do my best and kindly helped me along and he was a good stacker.

"The wheat was duly stacked and then came the first real difference of opinion between us. I wanted to sell as soon as the wheat had gone through the sweat and would do to thresh as it was then worth a dollar a bushel but Mr. Reynolds was certain it would be higher. I told him I had heard good farmers say sell when you can get a dollar and as I needed the money he gave in and I contracted it to O. D. Fitzsimmons, one of the most honorable men I ever knew.

"I sold it as soon as I could and when I delivered it Mr. Fitzsimmons told me it was worth but 85 cents but he paid me a dollar according to agreement and the price didn't go up either and had we kept the grain we would not have received more than 85 cents. It was presumptuous in me to argue with such a man as Mr. Reynolds but that time I was right. I have always felt very kindly regarding his treatment of me and it gave me my start in life.

"I am a firm believer in stacking wheat and would almost be willing to vote for a law forbidding threshing from the shock. Wheat must go through a sweat and when threshed from the shock it will sweat in the bin and make poorer flour and then there are many other reasons for stacking. It takes so many less men on the place at a time; you can take your time to thresh; there is less risk from bad weather and better saving of the grain."

MULES CHEAP.

An experienced farmer remarked yesterday that the present was, in his opinion, a good time to buy mule colts. The mule market is decidedly down at present as the demand is all for horses. Not long since a trader took to St. Louis a load of mules and lost about \$600 on them. The gentleman mentioned said he was buying mule colts and he regarded the present as an excellent time to invest in them as he felt certain the animals would rise in value in the near future.

HARD CHRONIC COUGH

Made Well by Delicious Vinol
Crestline, Ohio.—"I contracted a hard, chronic cough, and was weak nervous and run down. I have a small family of three, and it was hard for me to do my work. I took different medicines without benefit. Finally I heard about Vinol, and it has restored me to health and strength, my cough is all gone and I feel fine."—Mrs. H. H. Carlisle.

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ODD ITEMS FROM EVERWHERE

Reports from the war show that 1,000 German lawyers have died in battle.

A judge in Kenosha, Wis., held court in a taxicab, hearing the plea of a modiste for divorce.

The silk hat and frock coat have supplanted the Chinese queue and official robes of the oriental republic.

That Servia, a country of 3,000,000 population has less than 200 doctors is a surprising development of the war.

Emma Goldman is preaching a "birth strike" of the women as a means of insuring the betterment of the race.

Donald Murphy, son of a Pasadena, Calif., millionaire, has quit wealth and enlisted as a jack tar in the navy.

Roots and bark are the sole food of some of the famished people of Poland, according to Mme. Adamski.

Millionaire Richard McCreery of California, who was injured in an auto smash, has a silver plate on his shin bone.

Charles L. Sprague, now a capitalist in Goldfield, loves his old profession, as a reporter and will run newspaper.

Adjutant General Thomas J. Stewart of Pennsylvania has held the office under six different governors. He was recently sworn in by Governor Brumbaugh.

Washington University, St. Louis, will get \$10,000,000 if the stork stays away from the home of William N. McMillan, whose mother made the provision in her will.

Because a bacteriologist declared mince pies did their own distilling, the old New England delicacy has become popular in the "dry" sections of the country.

More than one third of the quicksilver produced last year came from Spain, and from the same mines operated centuries before Christ.

When Adelaide Scott of Minneapolis was married last week, her grandmother, Mrs. Felicia Grant of St. Louis, played the wedding march.

Mrs. Wallingford was getting rich too quick. George Randolph Chester has called off his promise to give his wife every gold coin he received.

Reports from Russia state that school girls are running away from home in boys' clothes to enlist. Some of them are not found out until they are wounded.

In Denmark, Germany, Holland, Sweden, Switzerland and the United Kingdom, the percentage of illiteracy is smaller than among the whites of the United States.

Robert Mote had one wife in Minneapolis and another in Hutchinson, Kas. He met his third in Garden City, Kas., on Wednesday, courted her Thursday, married her Friday, was arrested Sunday, and sentenced to jail on Tuesday.

Anna Papademetri, a flower girl of New York, pays \$1,000 a month rent for her stand to the city. For years she pinned a flower on Mayor Gavnor's coat each day. She formerly paid \$50 a month for the same stand.

MR. NIPPER MAKES GREAT SHOWING AT HANNIBAL

Report Indicates Good Management of Both Light and Water Departments.

Commissioner J. F. Brennan has received from A. M. Nipper, superintendent of the Hannibal electric light and water departments, a printed report of the business done by these departments. It will be remembered that in Hannibal the city owns the only light plant, and a little more than a year ago purchased the water plant. Both are managed by a board of public works consisting of well known citizens who do not receive pay and act simply as a board of directors. The actual operation is in charge of Mr. Nipper, a man of exceptional ability.

The report shows that in the light and power department the excess of receipts over the operating expense for the year ending May 31st was \$30,427.91.

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The water plant was purchased in October, 1912, for \$301,346.65, and at the time of the report had been operated by the board only eight months. During that time the board has expended \$46,433.85 for extensions and betterments. The excess of receipts over operating expenses for the period mentioned has been \$18,540.09. Complete statements of both the light and water departments are given, and in some details the showing made in the water department is not equal to that made in the water department in this city.

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Benjamin Wood, Commander, C. E. McDougall, adjt.

SEEDING TESTING NOW

A TIMELY MATTER

Farmers State Bank and Trust Co. seeks to interest children of Country Schools in This Work.

The Farmers' State Bank is making an effort to interest the children and grown-ups of Morgan county in the matter of seed testing, especially as to oats and corn.

In the window of their south side bank they have display of seeds and the "rag doll" seed tester, showing the testing of seeds in actual process.

The exhibit tends to show how comparatively simple seed testing can be, and also to emphasize how large a bearing the matter of good seed has upon the value of the resulting crop.

Only in recent years have farmers come to a full realization of how very important this matter of good seed is. The time was when the average farmer in preparing seed corn simply selected from his own cribs the ears which from their general appearance looked as if they would be good for seeding purposes. Now this has all been changed, and the farmer who does not select seed corn from his own bins and then test it thoroughly, or buy seed corn which has been tested by others and sold under a guarantee, is far behind the times.

The letter which the Farmers State Bank is sending to school teachers throughout the county relative to seed testing is in the following language:

Dear Teacher:

The farmers of America are called upon as never before to help feed Europe. Our farms may be pushed to the limit to supply this demand.

Morgan county was never in a position that promised more, if opportunities are embraced. Never before was it so important that our land be planted with seed that will grow because seeds of proven germination will produce greater crops.

The betterment of the schools of our county is dependent upon farm property, which, above all else, will bring modern houses and equipment and higher salaries.

Desiring to help increase our crops, we have secured a supply of farm seed testers, hoping thereby to teach the children, and through them the grown-ups, simple, cheap germination tests.

These testers can be operated in your school-room. They exhibit an interesting phase of nature study which you help increase our farm crops by teaching simple methods of seed testing?

If so, we will be glad to furnish you, free of charge, enough of these testers to demonstrate how simply they work and how easily and cheaply they can be made, if you will call or send us a written order for them.

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A. M. MASTERS PLACES BIG ORDER FOR SWEET CLOVER

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A. M. Masters has given the strongest kind of evidence of his belief in the value of sweet clover by sending away an order for seed to the amount of \$2,243. The greater portion of this seed is for use on Mr. Masters' own land, and the remainder is for other Morgan county farmers who wish to try out the value of sweet clover as a crop and as a soil producer. Mr. Masters will plant 380 acres on land near Murrayville which is now in wheat or will be in oats within a few weeks' time. The remainder will be used with other crops. A part of the land sown to sweet clover will be used for pasture and another part will be handled in such a way that the seed crop, which materializes the second year, can be utilized. Extensive growers of sweet clover maintain that the seed crop is really the important thing so far as immediate return from sweet clover raising is concerned.

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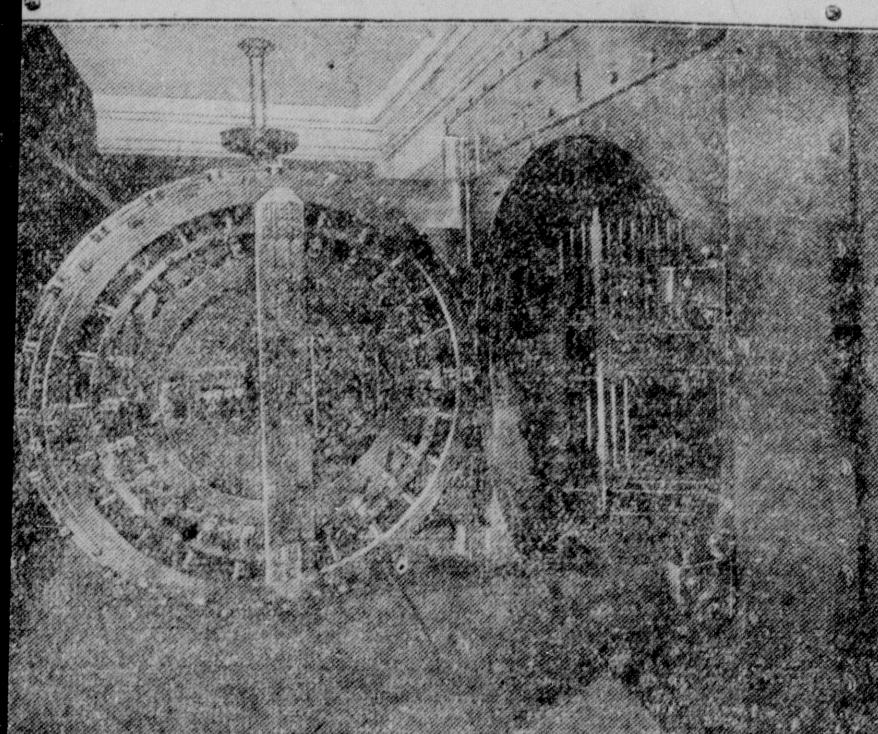
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IN SOCIETY

Reception for

Mr. and Mrs. Islam.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Islam who were married Wednesday evening at Woodson were given a reception Thursday night at the home of his father, Thomas Islam, 1½ miles south of Woodson. A three course turkey dinner was served at 6 o'clock and the evening was spent in a delightful social manner. Part of the entertainment consisted of vocal selections by Mrs. Charles E. Islam, Mrs. W. G. Russel, Chester Colton and Dr. R. R. Jones and piano solos by Misses Edith Colton and Jane Islam.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. William Russel, Rev. Jas. Russel of Nebraska, Mrs. L. A. McLean, Toulon, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. H. Blimling, Chapin; Mrs. S. A. Gunn and Mrs. M. L. Watt of Jacksonville, William and Martin Russel, Misses May and Edith Nicol, Edith Colton, Marguerite Steinmetz, Mr. and Mrs. John Blimling and daughter, Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Darwent, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Russel and daughter Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Barrow, Mr. and Mrs. John Islam and children, John and Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Henry and son Jesse, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Henry, Dr. R. R. Jones, Misses Mary Cora, Lucy and Jane Islam, Eddie Islam, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Islam, Thomas Islam and daughter Sarah, Thomas Butler, Chester Colton, Ray Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Poy, Mrs. James Cooper and Samuel Duskin.

Birthday Surprise For
Mrs. Julia McAlister.

Mrs. Julia McAlister of Woodson was very pleasantly surprised Thursday afternoon by the members of the Missionary society of the Woodson Presbyterian church, the occasion being her 75th birthday. The surprise was cleverly executed by Mrs. Julia McAlister's granddaughter, Miss Hazel Green.

Were Surprised.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Patterson of West North street, were very pleasantly surprised Thursday evening, in honor of their twenty-third wedding anniversary.

After the regular meeting of the society was held a program was given followed by the serving of light refreshments. Mrs. McAlister was not received a number of pretty remembrances but many good wishes on the occasion of her birthday.

The program follows:

Song.

Prayer—Mrs. William Colton.

Devotional exercises—Mrs. J. C. Coleman.

Reading: "A Missionary's Life"—Mrs. J. W. Hoagland.

Reading—Miss Edith Nicol.

Song.

Reading: "The Indians Making Good Christmas"—Mrs. William Colton.

Prayer—Mrs. J. W. Hoagland.

Reading: "Self Denial"—Margaret Daniels.

Song.

Lord's Prayer.

Those present were Mrs. J. L. Coleman and daughter, Mabel Earl, Mrs. William Nicol and children, Mary Edith and George; Mrs. William Colton, Mrs. Fannie McLean, Mrs. Alice Harney, Mrs. William Rook, Mrs. J. W. Hoagland and Mrs. Sadie Adams.

M. C. L. Club

Anniversary.

The 12th anniversary of the M. C. L. club of the Point neighborhood was held Tuesday at the home of Miss Carrie Gibbs on the Mound. A three course turkey dinner was served. The table was appropriately decorated for the occasion, there being twelve candles, each candle representing a year of the club. In the center of the table there was a nest containing chickens and rabbits and around these there were twelve Irish potatoes, each potato containing an Irish and American flag. At one end of the table there was a holly wreath and at the other end a basket of June roses. At each plate there was a calendar and a valentine favor.

Following the meal an election of officers was held and a program was carried out, the entertainment partaking of something represented on the dining table. In the Valentine contest the prize was won by Mrs. Henry Richardson. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in a social way.

The members were all present except two, as follows: Misses Carrie Gibbs, Cora Megginson, Grace Middleton, Estelle Vasey, Mrs. Henry Richardson, Mrs. Vincent Riley, Mrs. Albert Richardson, Mrs. Wesley Marshall, Mrs. John Gibbs, Mrs. Grover Mason. The two absent were Mrs. Walter Bobbitt and Mrs. Herbert Watson.

Birthday Social.

The birthday social of Mrs. S. E. Hill's circle of the Pastoral Helpers of the Central Christian church was held at Mrs. Hill's home, 202 West College street, Thursday evening.

The home was decorated in pink and green and during the evening a

musical program was given by Mrs. Edward Carpenter, Miss Hazel Claus and Miss Bennett and Mr. Wesner of Murrayville. Light refreshments were served and the hours proved most delightful.

Valentine Social.

The members of the B. Y. P. U. of

the First Baptist church held a

Valentine social at the home of

Rev. and Mrs. Percy W. Stephens on

Diamond Court Thursday evening.

Games appropriate to the occasion

were played and the evening closed

by singing several selections from

the new song book which will be

used during the revival meeting.

Light refreshments were served.

Given Farewell Party.

Misses Ruth and Ione Gallagher

of Woodson gave a farewell party

Thursday evening for Misses Lena

and Marie Adams who are soon to

leave with their father Elisha Gal-

lagger for Webster, North Dakota,

to make their home. Games were

played and music was part of the

entertainment. Light refreshments were served.

The Jolly Club.

The Jolly Club met with Mrs. Porter Bell south of the city Wednesday evening and a very enjoyable time was spent by all present. Games furnished amusement and during the evening an oyster supper was served to the guests. The club will meet Saturday evening at the home of J. S. Butler near Woodson to attend a valentine party.

The following families were present: Hugh Vorhees, George Barnhart, Claude Winters, John Leach, Samuel Butler, Otto Grimmett, and John Harding.

Past Noble Grands
In Regular Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Past Noble Grand club No. 13 was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Siegfried, 607 South East street, the occasion being Mrs. Phillips' birthday. She was 75 years old and each guest brought a present suitable to the occasion. The house was prettily decorated with red and white valentines and red candies and a large birthday cake was in the center of the table. It was set with candles, and plates were set for sixteen.

The following were present: Mrs. Flora Follansbee, president; Mrs. Jeanette Bowen, vice president; Mrs. Ricks, treasurer; Mrs. Nettie Brown, secretary; Mrs. Asa Robinson, Mrs. Dickens, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Bayha, Mrs. Harry Coble, Mrs. Minnie Steiner and son, Mrs. Mary Wyatt, Asa Robinson, J. W. Bowen, and Mr. and Mrs. George Siegfried.

Were Surprised.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Patterson of West North street, were very pleasantly surprised Thursday evening, in honor of their twenty-third wedding anniversary.

The evening was spent in playing games and a good time was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served during the evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Williamson and daughter Eunice, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dyer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Elliott and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Spain, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hall, Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton, Mrs. James Middleton, Samuel Bridgeman and family, Mrs. Mary Patterson and daughter Martha, Mr. J. Boston and daughter Vivian, Miss Lila Gish, Helen Swain, Sam Woods, Ray Patterson and Mr. Mapps of York Nebraska.

All left at a late hour wishing Mr. and Mrs. Patterson many happy returns of the day.

Club Entertains.

The South Diamond street club members were entertained very pleasantly Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robert Bell, 517 South Diamond street. The time was spent with sewing and the refreshments the hostess served added not a little to the pleasure of the occasion.

I. W. C. Orchestra Pleasantly Entertained.

The Woman's college orchestra held their regular rehearsal at the college last night and after the rehearsal, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Stearns, assisted by Mrs. Day entertained the members informally in Mr. Stearns' studio. A delightful hour was spent and light refreshments were served. The members of the orchestra present were Mrs. Kate Schroll, Misses Eloise Capps, Gertrude Olsen, Beulah Smith, Reba Gaskins, Ruth Pinkerton, Marian Newlin, Winifred Sale, Messrs. Paul Hempel, Harold Whalen, Wilbur Rogers, John Kearns, Harold Blair, Russell Pinkerton and Edwin Clemens.

Mr. C. L. Baxter Entertains.

Mrs. George E. Baxter of 820 West College avenue, entertained at a sewing and valentine party, Thursday afternoon. The hours were spent in a happy social way. The guests were delighted with vocal selections by Miss Lena Hopper, Miss Edna Beebe, Mrs. C. A. R. Stone and two readings by Miss Ethel Beebe. Choruses of popular songs were pasted on red hearts and these hearts were cut into four pieces and those putting the pieces together had to sing the song, which afforded no little amusement. Dainty refreshments were served.

Celebrate Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Spaulding Place entertained the M. B. O. O. Club and their husbands Thursday evening in honor of their seventeenth wedding anniversary. Progressive euchre was the feature of the evening. In the games played, Mrs. Phillip Schultz and Louis Magill won first prizes. Mrs. A. McNamara and Richard McKay were awarded the consolation prizes. The rooms were prettily decorated for the occasion with flowers and heart shaped valentines. At a late hour the hostess served an elaborate luncheon after which the guests departed wishing Mr. and Mrs. Smith many more years of happy wedded life.

Valentine Dance

at Peacock Inn.

A Valentine dance and a candy heart dance were special features last night in the fifth event on the winter program of the Delta Dancing Club. The dance was held at the Peacock Inn and the hall above was prettily decorated in preparation for the occasion. Fred B. Hopper, Marcy W. Osborne and H. J. Rodgers Jr., composed the committee.

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MORTUARY

IN SOCIETY.

(Continued from Page Five)

Yeck.

Mrs. Lillian Yeck died at 1:45 o'clock Wednesday at her home in Concord after an illness with tuberculosis of two years. She was the daughter of John and Martha Whitlock Entrikin and was forty years of age. She is survived by her husband, Glen Yeck, three daughters, Blanche, Mabel and Ruth, and one son, Harold. Also by one sister, Mrs. J. W. Finch, a half sister, Mrs. Wm. Dalton of Scottville, and two half brothers, Otis and Ottie Entrikin of Murrayville.

She was a member of the Christian church and a woman of many good qualities of character.

The funeral will be conducted at 2:30 p. m. today in the Christian church in Concord.

WITH THE SICK.

Robert Seymour of the Providence neighborhood, west of Franklin, is reported as very feeble and is not gaining any strength. He will be eighty-eight years old next May.

J. B. Williamson who has been ill for some weeks is improving and is able to be up and about the house a little.

Colonel Henry Perry is a patient at Our Savior's hospital suffering from pneumonia.

Lycurgus Goheen, who for the past few days has been ill at his home, is much improved. He wishes to thank the W. R. C. and G. A. R. for a number of acceptable floral gifts.

Miss Elizabeth Coyle has gone to Winchester to see her niece, Miss Irene Freitag who is ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Irie Lamb underwent an operation at Passavant hospital Thursday.

Mrs. John Baxter of Woodson who has been ill is reported better.

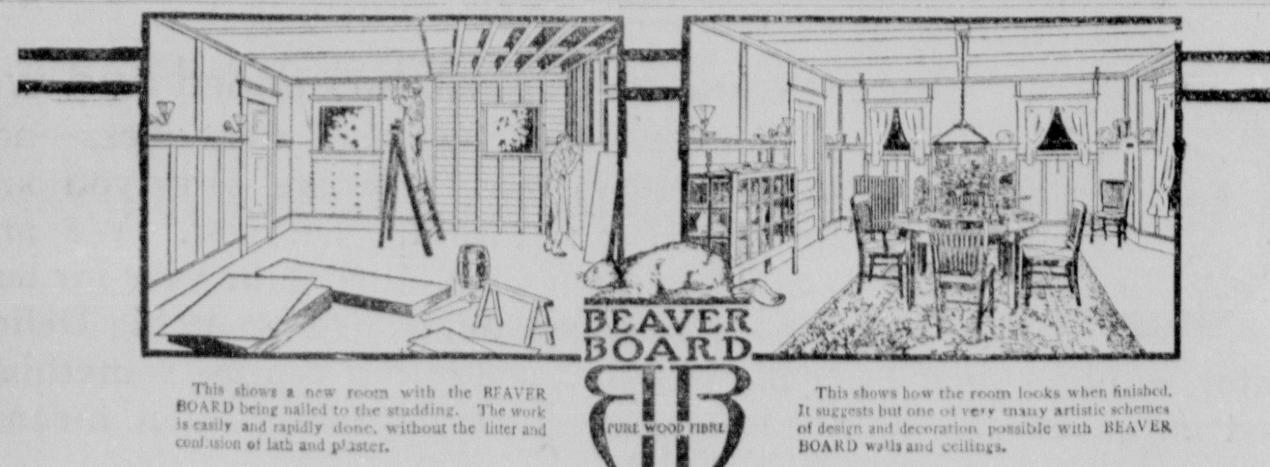
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**WILL COME TO CITY FROM
JOY PRAIRIE NEIGHBORHOOD**

S. A. Quigg and family of the Joy Prairie neighborhood are expecting soon to remove to Jacksonville to make their home. Mr. Quigg sold his farm recently to Edward Patterson, who is at present farming on a place near Ebenezer church belonging to his brother, Mr. Quigg will dispose of his farm property at a public sale Feb. 23.

MOULD WOMAN'S CLUB.

The Mound Woman's Country club will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. A. H. Dollear, Maplecrest.



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VETERAN BUSINESS MAN AN- SWERS FINAL SUMMONS.

Was Born in Missouri But Spent
Almost Entire Life in Jacksonville Where He Was Engaged in
the Cigar and Tobacco Trade—
Funeral Probably Sunday.

John C. Pyatt, one of the foremost citizens of Jacksonville and veteran merchant, passed away at the family residence, 329 West North street, Thursday evening at 11:40 o'clock. Mr. Pyatt had never been a man of rugged constitution, yet he always took the best of care of his health and it was not until a year ago last June that he retired from active business. Since last summer he had been in declining health and not until eleven days ago did his illness become of a serious character. Wednesday he had a fainting spell and Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock he took a decided change for the worse, death coming shortly before midnight.

Was Born in Missouri.
John Cassell Pyatt was born January 15, 1843, in Palmyra, Marion county, Mo., a son of Benjamin and Mary Lear Pyatt. At the time of his death he was 72 years of age. A few weeks after his birth, the family moved to Jacksonville and with the exception of the years 1859, 1860 and 1861, when the deceased lived in Springfield, he has continuously made this city his residence. Benjamin Pyatt died February 4th, 1885.

Children Surviving.
Mr. Pyatt was twice married. His first wife was Miss Sarah Jane Haiger of Decatur, to whom he was married in September, 1865. She was a niece of the late DeWitt C. Frye. Six children were born to this union, two of whom died in infancy. Those surviving are: Eugene D., Richard L., and Mrs. Grace C. Powell of Jacksonville and Mrs. Frank Mather of Chicago. Mrs. Pyatt passed away Sept. 1877.

His second marriage was to Miss Mary Belle Cheaney of Petersburg, which occurred October 1886. To this union five children were born as follows: Mrs. J. Wesley Robertson of near Prentiss; Miss Elsie K. Pyatt, James C. and Bess G. Pyatt of this city, and Charles Lynn Pyatt of Cambridge, Mass. Mrs. Pyatt died March 8, 1912.

He is also survived by one sister, Mrs. E. M. Kreigh of 207 North Walnut street, Springfield, who was here at the time of his death; Richard S. Pyatt of Springfield and Leslie Kane Pyatt and Douglas Pyatt of Lyons, Kansas. He also leaves six grandchildren, Julian D., Edwin L., and John D., children of Eugene Pyatt; Lucy and Helen children of Richard L. Pyatt and Jane, daughter of J. Wesley Robertson.

Many Years in Business.
When a boy Mr. Pyatt began to work in the tobacco store of his father, which was then located on the west side of the square. Later on the business was moved to 228 West State street. The period covering the time Mr. Pyatt was in the cigar and tobacco manufacturing business covers a great many years. In his chosen work Mr. Pyatt had been unusually successful and he learned the art of making cigars and tobacco, so that his productions were sought everywhere. In the sale of cigars and tobacco Mr. Pyatt had traveled several counties of the state, where he made a wide acquaintance and not only built up a good trade in Jacksonville but in Central Illinois.

Great Reader of History.
Mr. Pyatt was a man of unostentatious manner and of a genial temperament. Although attending strictly to his business, he always found time to take an interest in the improvement of the city and was ever ready to offer any suggestions that he thought might be of a helpful character. Politically he was a Democrat, and was thoroughly read along political lines. He had never desired to run for office and was content to devote his mind and heart otherwise. Mr. Pyatt was a great reader of history and took a delight in talking over events which the historian covered.

Mr. Pyatt was ever known for his upright life, sincerity of purpose and nobility of character. He knew how to make warm friends and he held them throughout his entire life. His passing away removes one of the veteran merchants of Jacksonville, a man whom the people loved and respected, a man devoted to duty and to everything that meant for the best in life and his memory will ever be revered.

Member of Masonic Lodge.
Mr. Pyatt was a member of Jacksonville Lodge No. 579 A. F. and A. M., having been the first to join in September 1867. He was also a member of the Central Christian church.

No funeral arrangements have been made but the services will probably be held Sunday afternoon.

TO VISIT RELATIVES.
Mr. and Mrs. John C. Anton of Lone Pine, Calif., who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Anton's mother, Mrs. S. B. Gray, have gone to Genesee, Ill., to visit a brother, Bartlett Gray. After a short stay there they will go to St. Louis where they will attend a reception given by Mr. Anton's father's brother, Peter Anton, who has served St. Louis as a policeman for 30 years. After returning to Jacksonville they will remain here a short time and then go to their home in California, which is at the foot of Mt. Whitney, the Switzerland of America."

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12.50 Mahogany (Odd) Parlor chair with arms	\$10.95
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